GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3054
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UPGRADING OF NATIONAL HIGHWAY - 29
Adityanath Yogi Shri

Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether approval has been given for upgrading the road between Gorakhpur to Varanasi on the National Highway No. 29; and

(b) if so, the details thereof ?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (SHRI K.H. MUNIYAPPA)

(a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Distance between Gorakhpur and Varanasi is 209 Kms. During the last three years and current year Improvement of Riding Quality/Periodic Renewal works covering a length of 159 Kms. and costing Rs.37.60 crore have been approved between Gorakhpur and Varanasi on National Highway No. 29.